



ATTORNEY DOCKET NO. 14114.0325U1
PATENT

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re Application of)
ZANCOPÉ-OLIVERIRA et al.) Art Unit: 1645
Application No. 09/674,195) Examiner: Albert Mark Navarro
Filing Date: August 3, 2001) Confirmation No. 3262
For: NUCLEIC ACIDS OF THE M ANTIGEN)
GENE OF *HISTOPLASMA CAPSULATUM*,)
ANTIGENS, VACCINES AND ANTIBODIES,)
METHODS AND KITS FOR DETECTING)
HISTOPLASMOSIS)

REQUEST FOR EXTENSION OF TIME

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Sir:

It is respectfully requested that an extension of time for the period indicated below be granted in accordance with the provisions of 37 C.F.R. Section 1.136 to take action required in the application identified in the caption, as reflected by the papers submitted herewith:

<input type="checkbox"/>	One Month	\$120.00	(\$ 60.00)*
<input type="checkbox"/>	Two Months	\$450.00	(\$225.00)*
<input type="checkbox"/>	Three Months	\$1,020.00	(\$510.00)*
<input type="checkbox"/>	Four Months	\$1,590.00	(\$795.00)*
<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	Five Months	\$2,160.00	(\$1,080.00)*

* Small Entity

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A Credit Card Payment Form PTO-2038 authorizing payment in the amount of \$2,950.00, representing \$790.00 for the fee for a small entity under 37 C.F.R. § 1.17(e) and \$2,160.00 for the fee for a small entity under 37 C.F.R. § 1.17(a)(5), and a Request for Continued Examination (RCE) Transmittal are enclosed. This amount is believed to be correct; however, the Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge any additional fees which may be required, or credit any overpayment to Deposit Account No. 14-0629.

Respectfully submitted,

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